Government of Kerala

Abstracts

Forest – Auction sale of SANDALWOOD on 26-4-1974 – at Kasargode Depot – Sale of confirmation – Ratified – orders issued.

AGRICULTURE (FOREST) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.2714/74

Dated, Trivandrum, 11-12-1974

Read:- Letters NO.IU (2) 35843/74 dt.13-8-74, 7-9-74 and 25-9-74 of the CCF.

ORDER

- 1. The Chief Conservator of Forests has reported that the auction sale of Sandalwood held on 26-4-1974 at Kasargode Depot wasw notified in the Govt. Gazette dt. 18-9-1973 in Malayalam Daily Mathrubhoomi dt.18-4-'74 and in English dailies 'PATRIOT' and the 'MAIL' dt. 18-4-1974 and in one Kannada daily 'UDAYA VANI' dt. 21-4-1974. The requirement of 5 days interval between the date of publication in the daily and the date of auction sale did not materialise in the case of the advertisement in the Kannada daily. It is further reported that the sale has received adeuate publicity that there has been keen competition among the hidders who were 7 in number, and that in view of the exhorbitant rates obtained the Conservator of Forests, Kozhikode has confirmed the sale. The Chief Conservator of Forests has requested Govt. to ratify the action of the Conservator of Forests, Kozhikode in this respect.
- 2. In the circumstances, Govt. ratify the action of the Conservator of Forests, Kozhikode indicated above.
- 3. The Chief Conservator of Forests is however requested to guard against such lapses in future.

By order of the Governor,

Sd/- Under Secretary to Govt.

Endt, on FU (2) 35843/74 dt. 23-12-74.

Copy forwarded to the Conservator of Forests Trichur etc. for guidance.